

# A Fresh Challenge

New guidance and policy to support people with learning disabilities who present behavioural challenges

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## Conference fee:

£245.00 per delegate. This fee includes all learning materials, lunch and refreshments. There are limited free places for service users and carers. A limited number of places at 50% of this fee are available to retired RCPsych members.

## Accommodation:

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## Fresh Impetus – Ground Breaking Unity

**Wednesday 23 January 2008**

**Institute of Physics,  
76 Portland Place, London**

9.00am Registration and Coffee

9.30am Welcome and Introductions

5.00pm Close of Conference

### This conference aims to:

1. Explore how these two complementary publications can direct the future development of services for people who present challenges
2. Enable people to think about ways in which they can plan and implement changes
3. Engage service users and carers in a collaborative approach to service provision and development
4. Bring people together to share ideas and best practice

*'Our job is not to fix people, but to design effective environments'*

**Rob Horner**

In 2007, a joint working group of the Royal College of Psychiatrists and the British Psychological Society, in consultation with the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists produced a new Council Report, 'Challenging behaviour: a unified approach'. The report provides clinical and service guidelines for supporting people with learning disabilities who present behavioural challenges and are at risk of receiving abusive or restrictive practices. The working group was greatly assisted by Professor Jim Mansell who at the same time has been revising his original report of 1993 on services for people with learning disabilities and challenging behaviour and with mental health needs.

Together, these reports aim to give fresh impetus to service development and delivery and to reassess and redefine key concepts and approaches in this area. They are groundbreaking in their uniting of professional approaches and guidance, and in a redefining of challenging behaviour and the capacities that need to be developed throughout services from the statutory and independent sectors. A commitment to the recommendations and guidance in these reports, at all levels, could herald an exciting new era in the support of people whose behaviour presents a challenge.

### Programme

**9.30am Registration and Coffee**

**10.00am Chair's Welcome and Introduction**

**10.10am Uniting the Professions**  
Dr Roger Banks, Vice President, Royal College of Psychiatrists and Dr Alick Bush, Chair of the Learning Disabilities Faculty, British Psychological Society

**10.40am The Capable Environment**  
Professor Jim Mansell, Tizard Centre, University of Kent at Canterbury

**11.20am Morning Refreshments**

**11.50am The Significance of the Reports**

Ms Debra Moore, Joint National Programme Lead - Learning Disabilities, CSIP Department of Health

**1.00pm Lunch**

**2.00pm The Impact on Carers**

Ms Vivien Cooper, Parent & Chair of Trustees of the Challenging Behaviour Foundation

**2.30pm Service User Perspective**

**3.00pm Turning Recommendations into Practice – Round Table and Action Planning**

**4.00pm Feedback from Tables**

**4.45pm Conference Summary**

**5.00pm Conference Close**

### Who should attend

Clinicians, specialist health and social care professionals, local partnership board members, advocacy organisations, health subgroups, multi agency teams, local authorities, service users, family and paid carers, service providers and commissioners.

### Registration

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